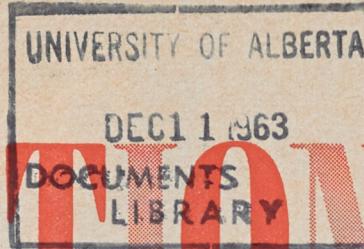


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HOCKEY COACHES' CLINICS PLANNED DECEMBER 8, 9

The Athletics and Outdoor Education Division of the Recreation and Cultural Development Branch of the Department of the Provincial Secretary, in co-operation with the local Recreation Boards, and in co-sponsorship with the Alberta Amateur Hockey Association, will conduct four regional clinics for hockey coaches at Falher, Wainwright, Red Deer and Hanna, on Saturday and Sunday, December 8 and 9, 1963.

Those who may attend are coaches, teachers and recreation leaders over the age of seventeen, who are interested in gaining further knowledge of coaching techniques in hockey. Special emphasis will be placed on the coaching at age levels from 10 to 12 years. These are the first of a number of regional clinics which will take place throughout the province during the forthcoming hockey season.

A number of qualified instructors who are concurrently involved in active coaching will conduct the clinics. These clinics are the first step in a long range plan to upgrade the level of hockey coaching with an immediate goal of more active participation by the youth of Alberta.

IN-SERVICE COURSE INSTRUCTOR IS WELL EXPERIENCED IN FIELD

Miss Evelyn Hage has consented to act as instructor for the correspondence section of the first year In-Service Course for Recreation Directors. Miss Hage is a graduate of the University of Alberta, majoring in sociology, and took post-graduate work in sociology at the University of London, England. She served as superintendent of playgrounds and recreation centres with the Edmonton Recreation Department for four years, during which time she was responsible for many new recreation programs.

Presently Miss Hage is a teacher in Physical Education for the Calgary Public School Board, at Crescent Heights School. An active member of the executive of the Health and Physical Education Council, she is also a member of the Alberta Recreation Association, C.A.H.P.E.R., and served as chairman of the "Greater Use of Schools" committee study.

Application forms may be obtained from the local Recreation Director in your town or city, or by writing to the Acting Supervisor, Athletics and Outdoor Education, Recreation and Cultural Development Branch, 424 Legislative Building, Edmonton, Alberta.



The Recreation and Cultural Development Branch of the Department of the Provincial Secretary has available copies of the pamphlet on "Yuletide Ideas", with instructions on making Yule Logs, giant candles, an angel tree, mobiles, and many other Christmas decoration novelties.

Copies may be obtained by writing to the

Recreation and Cultural Development Branch,
424 Legislative Building,
Edmonton, Alberta.

Season's Greetings

"*God Bless Us,
Every One!*" DICKENS—
"A Christmas Carol"



The Hon. Ambrose Holowach, Provincial Secretary (left), presents a cheque for the Western Board of Music Awards to Professor R. S. Eaton of the University of Alberta.

Hon. A. Holowach Presents Cheque For Music Awards

The Honorable Ambrose Holowach, Provincial Secretary, today presented a cheque for \$1,200 to Professor Richard S. Eaton, Music Division, University of Alberta. The cheque represents a grant from the Department of the Provincial Secretary, Government of Alberta, to the Western Board of Music, for twelve awards of \$100 each to be given to Alberta music students who, as a result of examinations taken locally in February, May and June of this year, are judged to have shown unusual promise and excellence in their music studies.

The winners of the awards are selected by a committee composed of Professor Eaton, Mr. J. I. Sheppy of the Department of Education, Mr. David Peterkin, Director of Music for the Provincial Secretary, and Mr. R. B. Wishart, of the University of Alberta, Scholarship Division.

This year's awards will be presented to Lynn Barber of Calgary, Leona Fry of Edmonton, Barbara McFerran of Edmonton, Ross Ferby of Drumheller, Gwenyth Hamilton, Elaine Higgin and Nancy Ward, all of Calgary, Maurice Turbide of Hanna, Coleen Hagenson of Stirling, Tess Thornton of Blairmore, Albert Krywolt of Frank, and Lorraine Ambrose of Edmonton.

AN ASSISTANT SUPERVISOR OF MUSIC

IS REQUIRED BY THE

RECREATION AND CULTURAL DEVELOPMENT BRANCH
DEPARTMENT OF THE PROVINCIAL SECRETARY

BASIC DUTIES OF THIS POSITION:

1. To assist the Supervisor of Music in co-operating with school, community and other provincial officials in developing music programs in Alberta.
2. To assist the Supervisor of Music in the co-ordination of music leadership training programs and the development of music curricula.
3. To offer various music leadership training courses at regional and provincial levels.
4. To offer consultative service to school, community and other provincial officials in the music field.

EDUCATION REQUIRED:

Applicants must have Bachelor of Music with teacher certification; or Bachelor of Education with music major; or equivalent qualifications.

EXPERIENCE REQUIRED:

A minimum of three years experience in teaching of music programs.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS:

Applicants must have an extensive knowledge of one orchestral or band instrument with a general knowledge of the remaining instruments in orchestra and band, plus personal characteristics which enable him to relate to people such as in public relations, public speaking, etc.

For further information and application forms, write:

Mr. W. H. Kaasa, Director
Recreation and Cultural Development Branch
424 Legislative Building
Edmonton, Alberta.

PLAN NOW FOR DRAMA WORKSHOPS!

The Drama Supervisor advises that any communities or areas wishing drama workshops in the late winter months must file their requests now as the workshop periods are quickly being filled. A minimum of fifteen persons is required before a workshop can be considered in any area.

Workshop courses are offered on speech, acting, movement, directing, make-up, and creative drama.

DR. M. VAN VLIET DISCUSSES RECREATION DEGREE COURSE AT FALL MEETING OF BOARD

POST-GRADUATE AWARDS OFFERED SPECIALISTS IN FITNESS AND SPORT

The National Fitness and Amateur Sport Directorate has announced a Post-Graduate Scholarship and Fellowship Scheme, and offers this pertinent information concerning grants-in-aid.

Post-graduate scholarships are designed to assist persons already holding a Bachelor's Degree in Physical Education or Recreation to proceed to the master's or doctor's degree in Physical Education or Recreation.

The scholarships and fellowships are granted on a "merit" basis and do not take into account individual financial need. With the large number of applications being received, and the limitations on the number of scholarships and fellowships available, awards will be made to those ranking highest. All applications will receive the same careful assessment and will be ranked in order of merit.

It is essential that applicants obtain grades of sufficiently high calibre to justify the receipt of such an award. Applicants who have had successful experience as professional practitioners will be given preference.

Post-graduate scholarship applications will be considered in two categories:—
i) Those who have had successful experience as professional practitioners for three years or longer, and who have attained an average of at least second class standing in the last two years of undergraduate study. No special credit will be given to experience beyond five years.
ii) Those who have had less than three years successful experience as professional practitioners in the field who have attained outstanding scholarship records.

For further information write

W. H. Kaasa, Director,
Recreation and Cultural
Development Branch,
424 Legislative Building,
Edmonton, Alberta.



Dr. M. L. Van Vliet, Director of the School of Physical Education at the University of Alberta, Edmonton, addressed the regular fall meeting of the Provincial Recreation and Cultural Development Board held in Edmonton recently. Dr. Van Vliet discussed the Recreation Degree Course, covering such topics as course publicity, interpretation and recruitment. Presently, nine students are enrolled in the course. Many Alberta communities, Dr. Van Vliet said, are unable to fill full time recreation positions with qualified personnel. Members of the board, shown with Dr. Van Vliet, are, left to right: Dr. W. Matkin, Lethbridge; Mr. Ross Rathie, Calgary; Dr. Van Vliet; Mrs. R. Wilson, Grande Prairie; Father G. Primeau, Legal; and Dr. R. Kempton, Leduc. Missing from the picture is Mr. Jack Wright, of Edmonton.

A SUPERVISOR OF ATHLETICS AND OUTDOOR EDUCATION

is required by the

**Recreation and Cultural Development Branch
Department of the Provincial Secretary**

DUTIES

To co-operate with schools, communities and organizations in the development of athletics and outdoor recreation programs in the province. Responsibilities will include the development and execution of projects under the Federal-Provincial agreement for fitness and amateur sport.

EDUCATION REQUIRED

A master's degree in Education, majoring in physical education; or a master's degree in physical education or recreation with teaching qualifications.

EXPERIENCE

A minimum of five years in teaching or recreation administration.

For further information and application forms, write:

Mr. W. H. Kaasa, Director
Recreation and Cultural Development
424 Legislative Building
EDMONTON, Alberta.

FITNESS AND AMATEUR SPORT SURVEY COMMITTEE

The committee is concluding its report after editing and "digesting" volumes of material. The final report will be presented to the Minister within a week or so. The committee wishes to use the medium of "Recreation News" to thank the thousands of people who contributed directly or indirectly to the survey.

A COMMUNITY PROGRAMS CONSULTANT

Southern Area

IS REQUIRED BY THE

RECREATION AND CULTURAL DEVELOPMENT BRANCH DEPARTMENT OF THE PROVINCIAL SECRETARY

WORKING TITLE:

Southern Area Consultant (MALE OR FEMALE).

DUTIES OF POSITION:

1. Act as Branch representative in an assigned area giving technical and leadership guidance to community groups, municipal councils and school authorities in the organization and administration of Recreation and Cultural Development Programs.
2. Act as liaison between community authorities and branch specialist personnel in development and administering local leadership training.
3. Analyze the general social structure, the available facilities and programs of recreation and cultural development in operation and recommend plans for future development.
4. Perform related work as required by the Director.

EDUCATION REQUIRED:

University degree in recreation, education or related field.

EXPERIENCE REQUIRED:

At least five years experience in recreation administration.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS:

Personal characteristics that enable him to relate to people, such as public speaking, good public relations, etc. Also must be in good physical health. Successful applicant will be stationed in Edmonton for a period of time before being transferred to a southern area office.

For further information and application forms, write:

Mr. W. H. Kaasa, Director
Recreation and Cultural Development Branch
424 Legislative Building
Edmonton, Alberta.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION, RECREATION SCHOLARSHIPS AND BURSARIES ARE AVAILABLE TO ALBERTA STUDENTS

Scholarships and bursaries are available to students of physical education or recreation in Canada, under the terms of the federal Fitness and Amateur Sport Act C-131. Following are the regulations concerning the awarding of these aids:

SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarships shall be awarded only to a student on entering the first year of a course leading to a degree or diploma in physical education or recreation and

shall be for one academic year in any recognized institution in Canada.

Scholarships shall be awarded on a competitive basis to students with a high academic standing which justifies scholarship recognition; and this is interpreted by this Province as follows:

1. Any student with 75% or better average will qualify for a five hundred dollars (\$500.00) scholarship.
2. A student with an average between 70% and 75% will be considered for scholarship on a sliding scale.

FLIP OF THE FEZ TO...



Ken Yates (R.L.S./62) on appointment as program manager in the Recreation Plant at Sedgewick.

Fred Hodgson (R.L.S./62) appointed to Recreation staff in Red Deer.

Keith Watson (R.L.S./61) on going on university — Keith was Sports Director at Rimby.

Fairview, Hanna, Edmonton and Red Deer for sponsoring local Hockey Coaching Clinics.

The **South Side Community Players of Calgary** and the **Drayton Valley Players**, the province's two newest drama groups.

Mary Cairns for winning the Calgary Regional One-Act Festival and to **Ron Wigmore** for winning the Edmonton Regional One-Act Festival.

Robbin Frazer on her appointment as Secretary-Treasurer of the Jasper National Recreation Commission, and to **Bill Evans**, former Secretary-Treasurer, who gave unstintingly of his time in that position for several years.

BURSARIES

1. Shall be awarded to students in a course leading to a degree or diploma in physical education or recreation, but may be awarded for any academic year for such course in any recognized institution in Canada.

2. Shall be in an amount which takes into account the means of the student and may be given to a scholarship recipient to meet special need.

3. These bursaries shall be awarded only to students who have attained a satisfactory educational standing and this is interpreted by this province to mean 60% or better standing.

Applications may be obtained from

W. H. Kaasa, Director,
Recreation and Cultural
Development Branch,
424 Legislative Building,
Edmonton, Alberta.